

TONIGHT! DON'T FAIL TO ATTEND THE GREAT THEATER MASS-MEETING! TONIGHT!

THE WEATHER  
Fair tonight and to-  
morrow not much  
temperature change

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## ALL READY FOR BIG THEATER MASS-MEETING-- CITIZENS DEEPLY INTERESTED IN THE EVENT

### NOLEN FINISHES HIS PREPARATIONS

ARTIST PREPARED FOR IMPORT-  
ANT TALK TONIGHT

TELEPHONE INVITATIONS IN

COMMISSION FINISH WORK BUT  
SOME ARE MISSED

TOTS BEAR MESSAGE HOME

Thousands of School Children Urge  
Parents to Attend Big Gather-  
ing at Theater

Everything is ready for the big mass-meeting to be held at the theater tonight under the auspices of the park commission, and all signs point to a splendid demonstration of the interest La Crosse citizens feel in the civic betterment movement. The outlook is for a great attendance, and that those who come to hear the lecture of Mr. John Nolen are already deeply interested in his theme is shown by the great number of inquiries about seats and other details that have come to The Tribune today.

Today the landscape architect continued his survey of the local surroundings, members of the park commission accompanying and assisting him. It is understood that he has procured a number of pictures for his stereopticon, with which he will illustrate points he desires to make impressive.



JOHN NOLEN.

Renowned Landscape Artist Who Addresses Theatre Mass-Meeting To-  
night.

Telephoning Done  
By rapid work the telephone invitations sent out by the commission were finished. Everyone who has a telephone was reached, although it was intended to cover the ground thoroughly, the failure to deliver the invitations being due to the necessity for rapid work. This was more of an undertaking than might appear to the casual observer. It was accomplished by a special arrangement with the telephone companies by which the prolonged use of the phone was permitted, the switch board operators being directed to work fast and take care of all calls.

Some Skipped, All Invited  
It was found necessary however, to call each number but once. If the party did not respond, or if the phone was busy or out of order, the number had to be skipped and the invitation was not delivered. In this way many did not receive their "bid," and the mayor and the park board wish it understood that they are invited anyway and that their presence is earnestly desired.

The Child Messages  
Into the homes of the city last night went thousands of school children—stately messengers big enough to "do up" their hair and expand with the importance of approaching grown-upness Y z h 24 13 hit the line! rah-rah boys, little tots slipping through their "first teeth"—each bearing a message from "teacher" to papa and mamma that the park board desired their presence at the theater mass-meeting. Not many of those invitations are expected to be answered by "regrets."

### YES, TEDDY COULD

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 18.—Roosevelt believes he could have rushed into the solid south as a candidate for re-election in the last campaign, according to the statement of Commissioner of Agriculture Hudson, who has just returned from a conference with the president. "If I had been a candidate for president this time, I would have carried Georgia and broken the solid south," Hudson quotes Roosevelt.

### RUSS HAND SHOWN.

LONDON, Nov. 18.—The culminating step in Russia's plan for a Persian grab was seen today throughout Europe in the refusal of the shah last evening to revive the Persian constitution or to summon the parliament, except under the impossible guarantee of foreign diplomats in Teheran that they guard the safety of himself and his throne.

### WOMEN MAY "GET" HIM

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 18.—By authorizing Russia's university women, Minister of Education Schwartz has started a suffragette movement in Russia, which today endangers his official head. The women are responsible for the recent men students' strikes in St. Petersburg.

## LA CROSSE STANDS NEAR THE BOTTOM SCHOOL EXPENSE

PROF. BENEZET PREPARES TAB-  
ULATION OF CITIES

64 FROM TOP OF LIST OF 70

STATISTICS SHOW WOEFUL LACK  
OF SUPPORT HERE

BUDGET HALF THE AVERAGE

LA CROSSE SPENT BUT 50 PER  
CENT LAST YEAR

APPEAL TO THE COUNCIL

Board of Education Requests Co-  
operation In Putting Schools  
On Right Basis

Out of seventy cities of approxi-  
mately the class of La Crosse, pick-  
ed at random from a table of cities  
of the United States, La Crosse  
stands sixth from the bottom in the  
matter of city appropriation of funds  
for school purposes.

The above is the startling deduc-  
tion from a tabulation made by Prof.  
L. P. Benezet, principal of the La  
Crosse High school. The cities were  
selected without previous consulta-  
tion of authorities, and the method  
used leaves the inference that the  
miserable standing of La Crosse in  
the schedule does it not the slightest  
injustice, and that in any table of  
cities about our size we would stand  
close to the bottom in the order of  
school appropriations.

"The city council is about to make  
its annual appropriation for the  
schools," said Prof. Benezet, "and it  
is but fair to the taxpayers, and to  
the public, to make known the facts  
as to our relative provisions for  
school work. The schools here need  
more money. This table shows that  
they are insufficiently provided for  
in the financial budget. La Crosse  
cannot have a school system paral-  
leling other systems in efficiency un-  
less its school allotments come  
somewhere near paralleling those of  
other cities."

Some Startling Facts.  
Prof. Benezet prepared the tabula-  
tion, which is hereafter published,  
at the suggestion of School Commis-  
sioner L. F. Easton, with whom he  
had been in consultation on the sub-  
ject. Following are some brief sum-  
maries of interesting facts shown by  
an examination of the table:

The average school expenditure  
of the seventy cities for the year  
1906-7 was \$212,000; La Crosse  
spent in that year for schools \$118-  
000, or but a trifle more than half  
of the average school expenditure in  
cities of its class.

Oshkosh and Racine, on a com-  
parative basis, spent \$30,000 more  
each than did La Crosse; Madison  
and Superior, on a comparative basis,  
spent \$100,000 more than we, or  
practically double as much.

Had we been as liberal as Los  
Angeles, basing the deduction on  
relative population, we would have  
spent last year \$545,000. Even Wis-  
consin outdid us, spending on the pro-

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## VERDICT AGAINST LA X STONE CO.

Wm. Wolfe was yesterday  
awarded at Eau Claire damages  
in the sum of \$900 and inter-  
est \$68.16—total \$968.16—by  
the jury which had heard the  
evidence in his suit against the  
La Crosse Stone Co. The jury  
received its charge yesterday  
morning and was out nearly  
four hours before arriving at a  
verdict.

The plaintiff had sued the La  
Crosse Stone Co. for \$2,100  
damages for injuries to his  
horses caused by ill usage at  
the hands of the defendant com-  
pany and its employees during  
the time which they had been  
hired by the company. In the  
evidence introduced by the  
plaintiff it was shown that the  
horses had been misused and  
their value impaired by such  
treatment.

Attorney Frank Farr ap-  
peared for the plaintiff and  
Attorney Wm. Wolfe of La  
Crosse and Attorney W. H.  
Frawley of that city for the de-  
fendant company.

Mr. Wolfe returned to La  
Crosse today.

A FORTUNE IN GLASS  
NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—An unpol-  
ished solar mirror, worth \$60,000,  
arrived today on the steamship St.  
Andrews for the Withon Observatory  
at Pasadena, Cal. It was made at  
St. Godin, France, is 100 inches in  
diameter and weighs six and one-half  
tons.

## MAY ORDAIN NEGRO PRIESTS



Archbishop Quigley, Upper Left;  
Rev. E. M. Dunne, Upper Right; Rev.  
Peter J. O'Callaghan Below, Catholic  
Leaders Who are Back of the Move-  
ment to Strengthen the Religion  
Among the Negroes.



## CATHOLICS TAKE UP THE SUBJECT TODAY

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—The Catho-  
lic Missionary congress is in final  
session today. The morning addresses  
were by M. A. Fanning, Cleveland,  
on "The Layman's Opportunity," and  
Moral Idea p ksCw.v20t,2H a16Wrt  
A. H. Hirst, Philadelphia, on "The  
Memorial Idea." Judge M. F. Bir-  
ten, N. L. Pioprowski, Chicago, and  
Alex Granger, Kankakee, Ill., dis-  
cussed mission work.

This afternoon the program is as  
follows: "Our Five Million Emi-  
grants," Rev. R. A. McEachen, Bar-

ton, Ohio; "The Philippines," Rev.  
Joseph Casey; "Obstacles to be Over-  
come," W. T. Breen, Ft. Wayne, Ind.  
The resolution committee will re-  
port late this afternoon and a recom-  
mendation of negro priests and  
plans for colonization are expected  
to be introduced. At a mass meeting  
tonight, Bourke Corcoran will give  
an oration pertaining to the aim of  
the congress. Archbishop Quigley of  
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## DISTINCTION MAY FALL TO LA X ELECTOR AT LARGE

### G. O. P. MAY HONOR HON. JOHN DENGLE

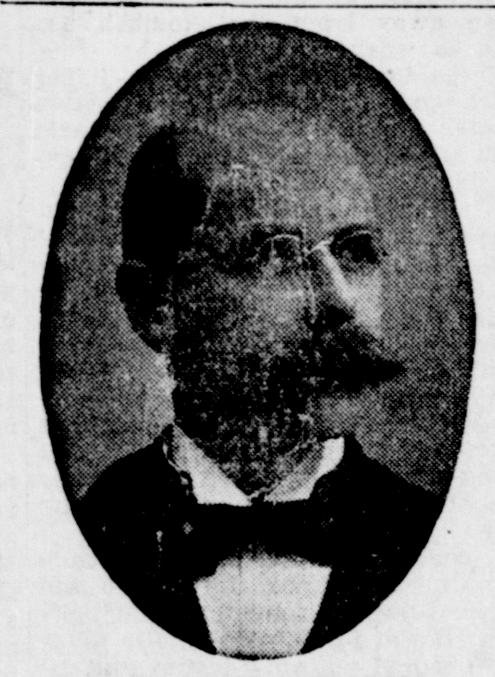
LA CROSSE MAN MAY TAKE RE-  
TURNS TO CAPITAL

BRUMBDER ELDER DELEGATE

Milwaukee Publisher, However, May  
Defer to La Crosse Man This  
Time

John Dengler, one of the pair of  
republican electors at large for Wis-  
consin, may be selected to carry the  
returns from this state to Washing-  
ton and cast the vote of Wisconsin's  
thirteen electors for Judge Taft for  
president.

The mission is regarded as a great  
honor, and it is coveted for Mr. Den-  
gler by host of friends throughout



HON. JOHN DENGLE  
High Honor May Be Conferred on  
La Crosse Man

western Wisconsin. Of course each  
one of the thirteen electors is a ten-  
ative candidate for the honor, but  
it has been pretty well settled that it  
shall fall to either Mr. Dengler or his  
associate, Mr. William Brumder of  
Milwaukee, publisher of Die Ger-  
mania, and a strong factor in Wis-  
consin politics, the distinction being  
regarded as a perquisite belonging to  
one of the two delegates at large.

Col. Brumder, being the elder,  
and having been more actively as-  
sociated with state politics, is admit-  
ted to have the preference, but he  
has had honors and recognition show-  
ered upon him until, some of his  
friends believe, he will not be un-  
willing to yield this particular plum  
to Mr. Dengler, for whom he enter-  
tains a warm respect. So, while it  
is largely a matter of Col. Brum-  
(Continued on page 7.)

## OSHKOSH TRYING TO CLOSE DEAL TO SIGN PINK HAWLEY

LA CROSSE MANAGER WIRES  
TRIBUNE DEAL IS NOT CLOSED

IS ANNOUNCED PREMATURELY

MILWAUKEE PAPERS SAY IT IS  
SETTLED

FINE ROW MAY RESULT

ACTING PRESIDENT MAHONEY  
HAS CLAIMED PINK

OSHKOSH CASE PRECEDENT

Bubser Held by Commission to be  
Property of Club, Although He  
Was Unsigned

Pink Hawley, for four years man-  
ager of the La Crosse club of the  
Wisconsin-Illinois league, is nego-  
tiating with Oshkosh for the position  
of manager of that club. An Oshkosh  
dispatch to the Milwaukee papers  
this morning announced that the  
deal had been closed, but this was  
premature. The dispatch was as fol-  
lows:

"OSHKOSH, Wis., Nov. 17.—Pink  
Hawley will manage the Oshkosh  
team of the Wisconsin-Illinois base-



"PINK" HAWLEY.  
La Crosse Manager Who Will Prob-  
ably Sign With Oshkosh

ball league next season. His terms  
were accepted and he was engaged  
at a meeting of the board of direc-  
tors of the Oshkosh Baseball asso-  
ciation this evening. He will have  
full charge of the team and will move  
here from La Crosse immediately.  
The Oshkosh association is in good  
condition financially and will strike  
for the pennant from the start."

Hawley Wires Tribune.  
The Tribune today wired Mr. Haw-  
ley at Oshkosh for the facts, receiv-  
ing the following reply:  
"Have not closed with Oshkosh.  
In case I do will not move family  
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## WEATHER FORECAST



Cooler in La Crosse, 34; warmest,  
54; wind, 4 miles, precipitation, .0.  
The river will fall slightly during  
the next thirty-six hours. The pres-  
ent stage is 2.5.  
Forecasts today:  
Wisconsin—Fair tonight and  
Thursday; continued mild tempera-  
ture.  
Minnesota—Fair tonight and prob-  
ably Thursday; warmer north por-  
tion tonight.  
Iowa—Fair tonight and Thursday;  
continued mild temperature.

## MASS MEETING

FOR

### LA CROSSE BEAUTIFUL

Park Board expects attendance of every  
patriotic citizen at the Theater Tonight  
to participate in a great civic movement.  
A Talk by—

JOHN NOLEN

Famous Landscape Artist, will be the  
feature, the address illuminated by  
Stereopticon Views.

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### SPORTING BRIEFS

**PHILADELPHIA.**—Packey McFarland, who meets Tommy Murphy tonight for a six round bout, is in the pink of condition and is the favorite in the betting. Murphy is in fine condition also and expects to put up a fast fight.

**NEW YORK.**—Battling Nelson says that football is much more brutal than fighting and wonders why they bar boxing, and travel miles to see a football game. He admits that it takes a man with nerve and gameness to play football but says that he prefers to stick to the ring.

**CHICAGO.**—President Comiskey of the White Sox and Ban Johnson of the American league will hit the trail for moose in the far north. They figure on stopping at Rainy Lake, 168 miles north of Duluth and from there take to the wilderness.

**ANN ARBOR.**—Capt. Schultz of the Wolverines is in bad condition and will not be able to play in the game with Syracuse next Saturday. Allardice, who was looked upon as a mainstay of the team on account of his kicking, will also be out and Yost for the first time in years has despaired of winning.

**MINNEAPOLIS.**—Minnesota will attempt to regain its lost laurels next Saturday on Northrup field, when they meet the Carlisle Indians. The team is in good condition and the men are looking for a victory.

**CHICAGO.**—Shattuck Military academy and Lake Forest academy will fight for the northwestern championship. The teams have beaten everything that they have met this season and it will be a battle royal. They will play a curtain raiser to the Minnesota-Carlisle game on Northrup field, Minneapolis, Saturday.

### How It Struck Him.

Benny's mother took him on Saturday afternoon to the natural history rooms on Berkeley street. When they arrived home Benny blurted out: "Oh, papa, we had a grand time. Mamma and I went to a dead circus."—Boston Transcript.

Freindship cannot live save in freedom.

## CASTORIA

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## Sports of all Sorts



### HIGH SCHOOL AFTER THE STATE TITLE

MAY PLAY EASTERN WISCONSIN CHAMPIONS

### CRY NOW IS "BEAT SPARTA"

La Crosse to Challenge Winner of Fort Atkinson-Sparta Game if They Win from Sparta

The High school football team started to practice in earnest last evening for the Baraboo game which takes place at that city next Friday. Little fear is felt that the La Crosse boys will lose the game but no little fear is felt that the La Crosse would lose all hopes of defeating Sparta at Thanksgiving were it to lose this game. A shift has been made in the La Crosse team which is hoped will work to great advantage against Sparta. Collins who has formerly held down left end has been placed at center. He is an excellent line smasher and will greatly strengthen the central position. Captain Tourtellotte will go back to his old position at end where he is to be depended upon to smash end plays. Holbrook has raised his standings to the required point and will hold down tackle. He is by far the best punter on the team and his presence will be felt.

A defense which is expected to break up Sparta's plays will be developed in the practice during the next few days. In order to do this the second squad will be given the ball the entire time. Professor Harry Spence has volunteered to coach the second team men and will endeavor to work up several new plays which will teach the first squad to keep their eyes open for forward passes during the game.

Coach Cooper expects the La Crosse team to win from Sparta unless injuries befall the team before then. The winner of this game will challenge the victor of the Fort Atkinson-Oshkosh game which is to be decided next Saturday.

A large crowd will accompany the team to Sparta and probably a special train will be provided. It is certain that a special train will start from Sparta an hour after the game giving every one a chance to arrive home in time to enjoy a Thanksgiving dinner.

### MAROONS CONFIDENT OF BEATING BADGERS

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—University of Chicago football players will leave the Midway Friday night and start for Madison with Coach Staggs to play the Badgers on Saturday. The rosters will not leave until Saturday morning, and will arrive in the Badger city about noon. Enthusiasm is running high at the Midway.

The Maroon players themselves do not fear Wisconsin's drop kicker, Quarterback Moll. They say Schommer is every bit as good as Moll and will lift over just as many goals from the field as the cardinal if he has as many chances. Close followers of the sport say a place kicker is a better point winner than a drop kicker, and they look to Schommer to outpoint Moll on Saturday.

Coach Staggs is pleased with the work of the team. The men said they never saw him in such good humor. His confidence in his warriors was evident all afternoon and, although he does not predict victory over the cardinals, it is easily seen that he is optimistic about Chicago's chances.

"We have plenty of new plays to spring on Wisconsin," said Coach Staggs. "The Badger scouts didn't learn everything from watching the game with Cornell, but I wish they had not seen that play with which we scored our touchdown. I was counting on it to help win the western championship. It is a hard play to stop. We have plenty more, however, and if this fails Steffen has several more. Personally I fear Moll's drop kicking. He is a dangerous man. Wisconsin has a strong team."

### NAVY NOT SO BAD

(Washington, D. C. Star.) Since the adjournment of the naval conference at Newport enough has leaked out concerning its conclusions to show that the naval experts of the United States are not alarmed about the war efficiency of our ships. The consensus of their opinion is that most of the harsh criticisms directed against the construction and armament of our battleships are unwarranted, and that a majority of the serious defects charged against them have never existed.

### Nothing Amiss

Two Scottish farmers met on their way to church. "Man," said Donald, "I was wonderin' what you will be askin' for you bit sheep over at your steadin'?" "Man," replied Donald, "I was thinkin' I was be wantin' fifty shillin' for that sheep." "I will tak it at that," said Donald; "but, oh, man, Donald, I am awfu' surprised at you doin' business on the Sabbath!" "Business?" exclaimed Donald. "Man, sellin' a sheep like that for fifty shillin' is not business at all; it's just charity!"—London News.

### "KONEY, A COMER" "SPORTING NEWS"

CARDINAL PLAYER HAS EAR MARKS OF VETERAN

### EDDIE IS HIGH IN LEAGUE

Wonderful Development of Raw Players Is Discussed by Big Sporting Weekly

The following article is a tribute to the achievements of Eddie Konetchy, the La Crosse first sacker who has made good in major league company on the initial sack of the Cardinals. It was published in the St. Louis Sporting News, the largest paper of its kind in the country:

"Konetchy is another Cardinal who was a raw product when McCloskey lifted him from a bush league into fast company. The big first-sacker was shy on almost everything except grit and industry when St. Louisians first saw him, but he has made steady progress in his profession, under most distressing handicaps. Most young first basemen, when breaking into fast company, are helped by their associates on the infield. Koney has had to handle more weird throws in two years than any two National League guardians of the initial corner, but he dug up and pulled down so many of them that patrons who marvelled at these extraordinary performances have come to take them as a matter of course."

"Koney's batting record included 19 doubles, 12 triples and five home runs. He sacrificed 25 times and stole 16 bases. He is not a sprinter and will never rank high as a base runner, although he is learning how to start ahead of the pitch."

"No one who watches him in a game for the first time would suspect that he is fresh in fast company, for he is so assertive that he may be termed aggressive. None of the old-timers get away from him without a call, when one is coming, and toward the close of the season he made some of the veteran umpires sit up and take notice."

When a sermon only reaches back to Saturday night you can't expect it to last much beyond Monday morning.

### Poor Tools And A Good Worker

That Is What Makes Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Sour Taste, Foul Breath And Catarrh.

The stomach is a good strong vital organ, which is constantly protecting and feeding every other organ of the body.

It is the most abused, neglected and scorned member of man also. Most men abuse their stomach with under-cooked food, high living, alcohol, tobacco, pastries and scores of other unhealthy practices.

When the stomach at last sickens of all this abuse and cannot do its full duty, most men are not warned but keep up their assaults on the stomach until at last it rebels and begins to strike back and cry for help. Man by his own abuse has taken away from the stomach the tools to work with.

These tools are the gastric juices which go to make up the digestive agents. From 7 to 35 lbs. of gastric juice are turned into the stomach every day.

When poor, poisonous food consumes this juice, dilutes it, robs it of its strength and throws it, a fermented mass from the system, of course there is just that much of the gastric fluid which cannot be readily supplied by the blood.

When food comes into a stomach filled with depleted fluids lacking of power to do their part, the good strong stomach is using poor tools and, of course, cannot succeed in its work.

A condition which often prevails is that which takes place when the gastric juice contains too much alkali. If the juice were wholly alkaline it would not only devour and digest the food but would eat and digest the stomach itself. Such gastric fluid does the digestion no good and attacks the walls of the stomach making them raw and sore and setting up inflammation and irritation.

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## PACKEY M'FARLAND



An intimate picture of Packey McFarland, who meets Stanley Ketchell Thanksgiving day on the coast for the third time. Both previous decisions have been very definite, for in the first Ketchell practically won his battle in the first round, and in the second McFarland turned the tables and put Ketchell out of the running after the first three rounds. This will be the greatest middleweight fight of the year.



### PETRONELLA D'ARVILLE

Miss Petronella d'Arville, the handsome and talented young violinist who is at present appearing at the Bijou, began her professional career a few years ago and has filled successful engagements in all the principal cities in the United States. Her success has been truly wonderful. Everywhere she has appeared her marvelous playing has created a genuine sensation, particularly among musicians. She was specially featured during her tour with the San Francisco Examiner Land Mark Show. Miss d'Arville is just out of her teens and has a brilliant future. Music lovers should not miss the opportunity to hear this gifted artist.

### McFARLAND FIGHTS MURPHY TONIGHT

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 18.—Packey McFarland, favorite Chicago lightweight, and Tommy Murphy, pride of Gotham, tonight will mingle in a six-round session before the National Athletic club of this city and eastern ring followers are all excited over what they term is a championship affair. The stock yards Irishman and the New York boy have been matched three times, but accident or illness have kept the boys apart heretofore. Charges from the McFarland end that Murphy dodged the issue in the past have developed a bitter enmity between the boys so as a result their contest should be for more than the money involved. At this angle it looks like a McFarland affair. Eastern lightweights, the majority of them at least, do not appear to possess especial ability, and Murphy is not considered an exception to this rule. He has been held to practically even terms by Leach Cross, a boy whom McFarland easily whipped a short time ago. McFarland plans to invade England in the near future, as he despairs of getting an early match with Battling Nelson. Packey ought to rejoice at this fact instead of repining, however.

### THE OIL OF DIPLOMACY

(New York Post.)

Diplomacy never appeared to better advantage than in smoothing out the Balkan difficulties. For a time it certainly looked as if the prophets of war were at last going to be justified, so sudden and grave were the complications. Hostilities might so easily have been precipitated on the side of either Turkey or Austria,

Bulgaria or Serbia. But a little time and much patience and an exchange of views among the great powers, have wrought marvels. It is certain that there will be a European conference to pass upon the whole question, and the program for it is near an agreement.

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OUR SCHOOLS

The Tribune feels that the city council should approach the matter of school appropriations as one of grave importance to this community.

The appeal of the board of education is made in a tone of thoughtful deliberation calculated to impress it at once as the expression of conservative business men dealing with a civic problem with the caution and straightforward purpose men habitually apply to the consideration of their most vital private affairs. This should commend their suggestions to the aldermen for treatment equally thoughtful and patriotic.

There can be no question that La Crosse has not spent as much money on school maintenance as is usual in cities of this class. The aldermen have not been blind to the fact. Indeed, it has presented to them one of the chief problems of their public labors. The smallness of the allotments notwithstanding, it has not been their purpose to be penurious in the matter, but they have been compelled to be conservative owing to the existence of conditions that could not be evaded, and must be met in the best way their intelligence and experience could suggest.

The fact is that La Crosse has done a lot of things in ten years. At the beginning of the first Anderson administration the people woke up to the fact that they were years behind the times in every element that belongs to the composition of municipal perfection. Then the work began, and it was pushed with mighty force and clever judgment. Our streets, our public buildings, our water and sewer systems, our harbor—these required vast expenditures, and the people of La Crosse met them like men and women should. The burden of work that should have been distributed over forty years has been borne in ten eventful ones to this city. Everything could not be done at once, and while some progress affecting them has been made, our schools and our parks were the things to suffer most neglect.

The Tribune sympathizes with the aldermen in their endeavors. It appreciates the immense problems with which they have been confronted, and it earnestly congratulates them upon the sound business judgment they have shown in disposing of the public business. It believes they have achieved to the atom all that could

have been accomplished with the means at their disposal and under the conditions surrounding them. Now, we believe, the councilmen will agree with us that THE TIME HAS COME WHEN OUR SCHOOLS MUST COME IN FOR THEIR SHARE OF ATTENTION.

Most of the heavy demands upon the city have been met. They have been ably handled and satisfactorily disposed of. The next logical step is to take up our schools and put them on a par with our other institutions. This step is indeed timely, for with the establishment here of a state normal school, the eyes of educators will be fixed more specifically on La Crosse, and the insufficiency of our school equipment and maintenance will not longer escape notice throughout the state.

That they have been left to the last in our program of civic improvement does not denote that the schools are the least important of our institutions. On the contrary, they are in the front rank, if not actually first. Next to health, culture is the greatest essential to human happiness. Without it no life is complete, no career attains its fullest possibilities. No community has done its full duty to earth or to Heaven that has failed to provide to the fullest extent within its means for the education of its youth, the moulding of character in trained hands, the devotion of intelligent effort to the development of the broad, patriotic, Christian citizen.

That work is now far below standard in La Crosse, and in considering the subject of bringing it up to the average level the aldermen of this city are confronted by a duty the importance of which should deeply impress them. We have no fears as to their ability to deal with the subject in the same comprehensive and efficient manner in which they have approached other great undertakings. Evidences of the happy consummation of which we see all about us, and we earnestly hope they may agree with us that the psychological moment to start the movement for better schools has arrived.

## THE LAST CALL

By the time this has reached our readers every effort to convey to the public such an appreciation of the purposes of the mass-meeting tonight as shall insure a great attendance will have been completed by the mayor and the park commission, and the result will be in the hands of the citizens of La Crosse. That they will respond liberally, that the theater will be filled with home-loving people imbued with the purpose of lending their influence to the program of making this city the pleasant, healthful and altogether delightful place nature intended it to be, is the hope and faith of those who have worked earnestly in behalf of civic betterment.

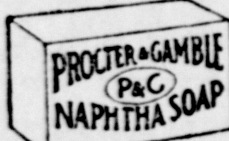
There is no need now to enlarge further upon the importance of this meeting. It is well understood. Nothing The Tribune could say at this time would make a deeper impression than has already been created, and it remains for that distinguished artist and lecturer, Mr. John Nolen, to carry the people of La Crosse forward to a finer perception of the meaning and value of civic beautification.

The commission used many methods of disseminating interest in the enterprise, its last work being personal telephone calls. This work was done, perforce, with great rapidity. If you did not receive such a message, it was due to the necessitated hurry of the work. The workers went through the telephone books, calling each number but once. If the line was busy, or for any other reason the party could not be reached the number had to be skipped and the next one taken. Only in that way could the ground have been covered.

And so the commission and the mayor send this message to the people of La Crosse:

"If a special invitation did not reach you, it was due to the impossibility of getting you on the telephone at the time the call was attempted, and it is the earnest wish of the civic workers that you accept the invitation meant for you just as though you had actually received it. Your presence is earnestly desired."

The Tribune adds its last appeal to its readers to be present, and to swell this meeting to great proportions that shall tell in numbers and enthusiasm the splendid fact that La Crosse is awake to the importance of



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## AS TO TARIFF REVISION

The Record-Herald's view of the problem of tariff revision, while it defends the purposes of Judge Taft loyally, leaves between the lines the inference that there may be those in positions to materially affect the outcome who are not so single purposed in their attitude toward public service. It says:

"No one doubts that the president-elect, Mr. Taft, is in favor of genuine and scientific revision of the tariff, and no one will be surprised at the informal statement which he has just given out with regard to the hearings that are now in progress before the house committee on ways and means. The one-sided character of these hearings has been a subject of comment all over the country, while the utterances of the standpatist leaders have scarcely tended to reassure the liberal-minded manufacturers or the consumers. If Mr. Taft is somewhat 'disturbed,' as our Washington correspondent is disposed to think is the case, he merely shares a misgiving which is common to thousands."

"Mr. Taft wishes the earnest advocates of downward revision among the manufacturers to come forward and submit their evidence. Their opportunity has come, and it lies with them to show that the Dazells are wrong in declaring that 'few changes will be found necessary.' True, the consumers would still remain unprotected—in a direct way at any rate—but the manufacturer who wants free or freer raw materials indirectly represents the interests of the consumers, as do the organizations that are fighting the abuse of protection because of its relation to oppressive trusts and monopolies in the home market."

"However, the consumers' real protection lies in a rigorous and honest application of the true principle of protection as Mr. Taft understands it—a principle which is not in the least endangered by genuine revision. But who will make the application? Have we the machinery for the proper kind of tariff revision—for adapting the schedules and rates to industrial conditions and keeping them responsive and up to date? Is it reasonable to expect 'scientific' revision from political and partisan committees? Are such committees able and willing to secure the necessary information at home and abroad, information regarding the cost of production, the difference in labor efficiency, the profits obtainable under certain rates, etc.?"

"A member of the ways and means committee predicts livelier sessions henceforth. Indeed, he thinks that 'the fur will fly' when textiles, lumber, metals, iron and steel, hides and so on are taken up. Still, the hearings may fully be expected to emphasize to the thoughtful observers the need of nonpartisan, scientific and business-like revision through a permanent commission of experts. To desire a certain end is not enough; it is necessary to decide upon and desire the means adopted to that end."

One day as a minister was passing down the street in Scranton where he resided, he was seen by some hangers-on at a public house which he was approaching, and one of the number called to him and said:

"We have a dispute here of some importance, and would like you to decide. It is in relation to the age of the devil. Can you tell us how old he is?"

"Gentlemen," said the minister, with dignity, "you must keep your own family records."—Philadelphia Ledger.

## SPOTLIGHTS

## "Paid in Full"

Wagenhals and Kemper announce an elaborate production of the great play of contemporary American life, "Paid in Full," by Eugene Walter, at the La Crosse theater on Thursday night, Nov. 19. In the presentation that Wagenhals and Kemper offer they will have one of the most notable acting companies in America and the production here will be as complete as that given for nine months at the beautiful Astor theater, New York, and for five months at the Grand Opera house, Chicago. "Paid in Full" has been endorsed by the critics as the greatest play since the days of "The Banker's Daughter" and "Jim the Penman." Seat sale open.

## "The Melting Pot"

Josrael Zangwill, whose latest play, "The Melting Pot," booked at the La Crosse theater with Walker Whiteside and John Blair Friday, Nov. 20, has caused disturbances in the highest quarters of the land, is practically a self-educated man. He was born in London in 1864, attended the elementary common schools of his native city, and received his B. A. with honors from the university of London. He began his career as a teacher, then taking up journalism, editing the Ariel. He is known in this country, as well as his own, as a novelist, essayist, poet, lecturer and dramatist. His best known publications are "The Children of the Ghetto," "Merely Mary Ann," "The King of the Schnorrers," "Without Prejudice," "The Big Bow Mystery" and "The Mantle of Elijah." The first two of these he dramatized with success. Until "The Melting Pot" was produced, none of his plays that had origin elsewhere than in his books was accorded decided popularity. "The Moment of Death," a powerful one-act tragedy that was produced at Wallack's theater, New York, some eight years ago, was found too serious for the frivolous taste then prevailing with the ever-changing public. "Jenny, the Carrier," had a brief career, and "Six Persons" and "The Revolted Daughter" failed to score. The last named was never produced on this side of the pond. His latest play, however, seems to indicate that he has measured well the public demand and supplied a drama to its liking.

Mr. Zangwill's activities, however, have not been confined to the labors of his pen. As every one knows, he has been most active in furthering the Zionist cause, the object of which is the founding of an independent Jewish nation. Since his marriage, too, he has espoused the cause of woman's suffrage. His recent remarks to the effect that he should like to see a woman president has caused no end of comment. "Why not a president as well as a queen?" said he. "The old Salic law which forbade a woman ascending the throne was a barbaric measure. I should like to see a woman president of the United States."

Of hobbies that are only hobbies, Mr. Zangwill has many. He has been well described as a lover of locomotion, though he hates the automobile. As a walker he is indefatigable. Many an appointment has he missed by walking to his destination, when a cab would have brought him there in time.

Mr. Zangwill's younger brother, Louis, has also won distinction in many different ways. Americans know him best as the illustrator of his brother's work; but under the pseudonym of Z. Z. and later, under his own name, he has published many a successful work. At the age of 17 he came into prominence as a chess player, a game that he plays blindfolded. His early efforts were those of a journalist, and he is also known as a collector of old furniture and objects d'arts.

Mr. Zangwill will not remain in this country long during his present visit. His primary object in coming over was to see "The Melting Pot" produced. Having seen it safely started on what seemed to be a prosperous career, and having helped it to its success by reason of the publicity given it through his visit here, Mr. Zangwill is now engaged in paying a round of calls to his numerous friends, and will soon pack up bag and baggage preparatory to his departure.

## IMPORTANT COURT DECISIONS

CONFLICTING DECREES AS TO SANITY.—Plaintiff had been adjudged insane by the supreme court in New York, ordered committed to an asylum, and later the court appointed a committee of his person and property. Subsequently he escaped, and took up his residence in Virginia, where he was adjudged sane. He instituted an action setting up the decree of the Virginia court and demanding damages from his committee in New York for conversion of his property. Defendant alleged in the main action that petitioner was insane and that the Virginia judgment was void. Petitioner's presence was necessary at the main trial in New York, and as he was in danger of being incarcerated there, he asked for an order protecting him while in attendance at trial. In Chanler vs. Sherman, 162 Federal Reporter, 19, the United States circuit court of appeals referring to the peculiar predicament in which petitioner is placed, and that unless relief is granted he must either abandon his action for a quarter of a million dollars or run the risk of losing his liberty, instructed by circuit court to issue a writ of protection prohibiting apprehension of petitioner during the time necessary for him to attend trial.

Failure always contends that a man should be admired for the efforts he makes and not for what he accomplishes.

## QUIPS AND CRANKS AND WANTON WILES

## Signs of the Season

The bird has left upon the bough  
A crumbling nest.  
The winds that whirl the foliage now  
Know naught of rest.  
All is a-wing. The songster trends  
Toward skies more blue,  
And in the wood the Frost King  
blends  
Each autumn hue.

Soft was the summer; now her green  
Is dull and sere.  
The lone gray squirrel haunts the scene  
In wondering fear.  
Chill are the meadowlands the brook.  
With icy rim.  
Creeps to the spring's more sheltered nook  
Mid shadows dim.

All is disquiet on the hills  
The bleak trees stare  
As barren fields and long dried rills,  
And in the air  
Sharp in the whisper of the coming snow:  
The froze lakes shine—  
White on the festive trolley—lo,  
The skating sign!  
—L. H. Westerhouse in New York Sun.

## A Comedian's Vagary.

Frank Daniels, the well known comedian, is said to have a most extraordinary fear of death. If he can possibly back out from attending a funeral he invariably does so. In fact, it is said that he never went to one in his life until Kirke La Shelle, his old-time friend and manager, died, a short time ago.

Then it was absolutely necessary for Daniels to go to the funeral. He did. But he arrived back at his home in Rye, N. Y., in a state of great agitation, and promptly took to his bed.

But as nothing seemed to be the matter with him, he gradually plucked up courage and decided to arise, as usual, the next day.

His valet asked him whether he desired to put on the clothes which he had worn the day before.

"What!" exclaimed Daniels, horrified. "Wear those things I had on at the funeral! Never! Throw them away—burn them up! I never want to see them again!"

And his previous agitation returned to such an extent that he almost decided not to get up that day at all.—New York Times.

## A Quarrelsome Family.

A family living in Germantown was recently in need of a cook, and the mistress of the house was considering an applicant sent by an employment agency.

"Why did you leave your last place?" the housekeeper asked the girl.

"To tell the truth, mum, I just couldn't stand the way the master and the missus used to quarrel."

"Dear me! Do you mean to say that they actually used to quarrel?"

"Yes, mum, all the time. When it wasn't me and him, it was me and her."—Philadelphia Ledger.

## FASHION'S CURVES AND ANGLES

## (New York World.)

In the calendar of fashion there is a time for curves and a time for angles. Just now straight lines are obligatory, and all the laws of Euclid cannot alter them. When the fancy for crinolines returns, woman will assume cylindrical proportions, and not all the college faculties in Christendom can prevent her. On questions of female fashion the ballot is denied to man.

The theory that each generation inherits the accumulated wisdom of its predecessors is held in some quarters. Its fallacy is in no way better proved than by the failure of man to profit by the experience of his ancestors in their futile attempts to regulate feminine attire. Women as respects fashion occupy a "higher world" into which men are not privileged to enter. When will the ruler sex learn discretion and abstain from criticism that merely reflects its helplessness to alter immutable conditions?

## THE POVERTY-RIDDEN.

## (New York Mail.)

Was there ever a more heart-breaking problem than that of being poor and yet looking prosperous? Far better were a diet of potatoes and cabbage soup and a pair of leather breeches of the vintage of 1858. And that is one great reason why the country, be it in Galway or Cattaraugus or Posey County, is a better place to be poor in than in the city. A man is a man there, even if blue drilling jumpers are his best.

Barring a condition of actual gripping want—from which may God save all who were made in his image!—there are no people in the world so fortunate as those who have made up their mind to be poor and happy together. Nor is there anywhere a man so cursed as he who can no longer live in the simple society in which he was born, and yet yearns for it.

## GETTING BACK AT CASTRO

## (Philadelphia Inquirer.)

The government of Holland has discovered a way of "getting back" at President Castro without resorting to a blockade. It has denounced the protocol of 1894 and has instructed its representative on the island of Curacao to declare Willemstadt a free port for the import and export of weapons and ammunition. It has also given notice that anyone who wants to get up a revolution directed against Castro is welcome to use the island as a base. Conspirators may do all the conspiring they desire and collect all the munitions of war they may be able to secure without needing to fear any interference from the authorities at The Hague.

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## THE TURN OF THE TIDE

By Horace Annesley Vachell

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Civil war raged. Decisive battles in the world's history have been won and lost in a few minutes; the battles of the soul are sometimes of shorter duration. In this case the victory was to the Powers of Evil.

No student of life will be surprised at this, because the human will and the human appreciation of higher things are bond-slaves to habit. During the past few weeks Hugo Charteris had lived, cheerfully enough, for others. A capacity for self-sacrifice had been born in him, an inheritance from his mother, an almost ineradicable part of his character and temperament. Always it had stood out finely, distinguishing him from the common herd and gaining for him many friends at Eton and afterwards. Never had it manifested itself so plainly as during the trial, although not half a dozen persons perceived it at the time. But, overlying this divine instinct were years of self-indulgence; the years when he had obeyed no law other than the whim and inclination of the moment. Often he had seen the better, revered it, and then, deliberately, had chosen the worse. At the supreme moment, when Angela had begged him into a blacker and more shameful sin than any he had committed heretofore, he knew what he was doing and did it, because the flesh was mightier than the spirit. The fanatics practicing absurd mortifications excite pity and contempt, but they grasped this fundamental truth, which seems to have eluded our generation: there has never been a compromise possible between the conflicting claims of body and soul. Some would seem to be all animal, and living like animals, recognizing no law higher than the gratification of appetite, these may be serving some mysterious purpose hidden from finite understanding; others—one recalls one or two shining examples—would seem to be all spirit, so far exalted above their fellows, so immune from earthly taint and temptation, that they too must be considered as no quite human: being placed among us to diffuse a celestial radiance; the chosen messengers of the Most High. Between these extreme types, we other mortals wander to and fro; now stains for a brief moment, now sinners for weary space of time. But is there one of us who, if he were offered the choice, would elect to be sinner rather than saint? Is there a man who sincerely believes that the satisfaction born of the flesh is a greater thing than the happiness born of the spirit?

Hugo paused for a moment after passing through the gate which gives access to the Rectory garden. The moon illuminated the modest facade of the house; shafts of silvery light penetrated through the row of fine beech trees skirting the lawn; in the air was the nip and fillip which indicate approaching frost. Hugo stared at a dormer window projecting from the heavily thatched roof; the window of Joy's bedroom, whence she had looked out upon the only world she knew. Every object about him had been familiar to her since childhood, and each in its degree, a formative influence in her life. To the left, heavily outlined against the northern sky, stood the church, in itself an extraordinary jumble of styles, a veritable page out of ecclesiastical history, with its thirteenth-century tower, fifteenth-century chancel, and a preposterous eighteenth-century nave, filled with high pews, and above these a wonderful three-decker pulpit!

In Joy's simple life this church loomed large. In it she had been

baptized and confirmed; upon its altar, each Sunday, she had placed flowers. To her, the three-decker pulpit was sacrosanct, because from it the Word had emanated for a hundred and fifty years. She had been angry when Hugo suggested that such abominations should be pulled down. A Mottisfont in this, as in many other things, she held tenaciously to any object of familiar use. Mrs. Giles Mottisfont offered to present a brass lectern; the whole family protested.

These thoughts flitted, like bats, in and out of Hugo's mind, fortifying his determination to get possession of the beloved object without making a confession that must place it hopelessly beyond his reach.

A trim parlourmaid greeted him with a smile. Miss Vennable was at home, but the rector had gone up stairs to take a nap before dinner. These homely details flowed fluently from the girl's lips. Obviously she regarded Hugo as a friend of the family, and likely, no doubt, to become a son of the house. What had escaped the eyes of the protagonist was plain as print to this village maiden. Nor did she usher him into the formal drawing-room, but led the way confidently to the cosy dining-room.

Joy was talking to a lady, who sat with her back to the light, when Hugo's name was announced. Joy rose at once and held out her hand. "I am glad to see you," she said in that tone of delightful intimacy which indicates that one steadfast friend is speaking to another. That tone she had used ever since his first visit to the rectory. Then, as he took her hand the blood flew to her cheeks. It was the most natural thing in the world that he should call, but she was wondering what Burgess had told him. From the moment when she had confessed that there was another, she had realized, with shame, that the other might hear of it, and draw humiliating inferences. Fortunately, her blushes were obscured by the pink light from the shaded lamp. She turned to the lady behind her.

"Mollie, you have heard me speak of Mr. Charteris?"

Hugo felt his heart stop. He had run an inconceivably reckless and stupid risk. Knowing that Mrs. Giles Mottisfont was at the Park, he had not considered the probability of meeting her at the Rectory.

(To be Continued.)

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## NORTH SIDERS WILL ATTEND MASS-MEET

• • • • • Much interest has been shown by the residents of the North side in the movement to establish a system of city parks and this part of the city will be well represented at the meeting at the theater tonight, when John Nolen, landscape architect, will address the citizens and show just what prospects La Crosse has.

At the last meeting of the North Side Progressive league it was decided to have that body attend and it is expected that many more will be present.

The question is of more than ordinary importance to North siders, inasmuch as a North side park is one of the fondest hopes of residents. In case the system is adopted this side will surely come in for its part of the beautification. There are many admirable park sites on the North side and they will doubtless be discussed by Mr. Nolen in his address tonight.

## MAN IS KILLED IN BUILDING COLLAPSE

## ARCTIC ICE AND FUEL COMPANY STRUCTURE GIVES WAY

## GUSTAF KJOST LOSES LIFE

William Felzer and Albert Hammanrud Seriously Bruised in Bad North Side Accident

Gustav Kjost was killed, William Felzer and Albert Hammanrud were seriously injured yesterday and two others had miraculous escapes from death when a hog chain, supporting heavy timbers for the great roof over the Arctic Ice and Fuel company's storehouse on the north side, gave way yesterday afternoon, precipitating the massive structure to the ground. Kjost was struck in the back of the neck by one of the heavy timbers, breaking the spinal chord and killing him almost instantly. Mr. Felzer was hit by the timbers as was Mr. Hammanrud, but their injuries will not prove fatal.

The accident occurred at about 3 o'clock and the men were busy on the construction of the large roof.

**Kjost Was High Up**  
Kjost was working on some large timbers, about 30 feet from the ground, according to his fellow workmen, when the crash came. He was thrown to the surface and was struck by one of the heavy timbers, death resulting almost instantaneously. Felzer was at work on one of the supporters and was pinioned under one of the falling timbers. He was held there until released.

**Hammanrud Slightly Injured**  
Mr. Hammanrud was hit by some of the smaller timbers and his injuries are slight.

**Saved by Presence of Mind**  
His presence of mind was all that saved Foreman Carl Holland from death. Holland was working on a scaffolding and just outside of a small window in the ice house about 30 feet from the ground. Startled by the sound of breaking timbers he jumped for the window. A heavy timber fell under him and he was pulled through the window and to safety by a fellow workman.

**Others Escape Injury**  
Other workmen including John Frederickson, were saved only by their agility in getting out of the way of the falling timbers.

**Arenz Has Charge of Work**  
The work is in charge of Alderman John Arenz, contractor, and is an addition to the main ice house of the company. Nine workmen have been employed on the work in an effort to hurry it through to receive this winter's supply of ice.

The work at the time of the accident, was in charge of a foreman, but Mr. Arenz was notified of the accident and was soon on the scene.

**Take Body to Undertaker**  
As soon as it was ascertained that Kjost was dead the body was removed to the undertaking rooms of William Dwyer on Mill street, where it will be prepared for burial.

**Estimated Loss is \$1,500**  
Although it is impossible to give the exact loss caused by the accident it is estimated at between \$1,000 and \$1,500. The work will be tied up for some time but Mr. Arenz asserts that the damaged portion can be reconstructed and the building ready in time for the winter's ice harvest.

**Kjost a Single Man**  
Mr. Gustav Kjost is but 28 years of age and is unmarried. His home is in Spring Grove, Minn., and his body will be taken there for burial. Mr. Kjost has been in this city but a short time and was practically a stranger here but was well liked by his fellow workmen and the other friends that he had made during his short stay here.

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Mrs. P. J. Ward has returned from a few days' visit with friends and relatives at St. Paul.

Mrs. George Kowitz and daughter of Berlin street are confined to their home with smallpox.

Mr. George Bond of 1625 Wood street is confined to his home by illness.

Fire department No. 2 was called to put out a chimney fire last evening at Hutche's place at 626 Mill street. No damage was done and the fire was soon out.

Mrs. A. P. Lampert who has been

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Mr. H. F. Bell of 1639 Loomis street has resumed his duties as fireman on the C. B. & Q. after being confined to his home with poisoning in his foot.

Mrs. F. E. Manning has returned to her home in South Dakota after spending a few days' visit with Mrs. W. E. Emery of Caledonia street.

Mrs. C. A. Button is confined to her home on Charles street on account of illness.

The central division of the Ladies' Aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. M. W. Gear of Avon street tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Marguerite Stirneman of Caledonia street left for a few days' visit with friends and relatives in Minneapolis.

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Miss Essie Booher of Galesville attended the graduation exercises at the St. Cecilia's convent last evening.

The Woman's club of the M. E. church will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. L. Dodge of 1427 Kane street.

**NARROWLY ESCAPES ALMOST SURE DEATH**

While making a coupling in the Milwaukee yards about 10 o'clock last evening, Charles Leaser was knocked down and the brake beam of a car which passed over him broke his right leg above and below the knee.

Mr. Leaser was switching in the east Milwaukee yards under Fore-

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After the first car had partly passed over him, his leg got between the brake beam and a tie and was broken in two places. He caught hold of an iron under the car and was dragged about fifteen feet when the other switchmen heard his shouts. The train was stopped and when Leaser was found he was almost exhausted and nearly unconscious.

He was taken to the North side depot and Dr. Egan was summoned. Later he was taken to the St. Francis hospital. The broken parts were set and it is hoped that the leg will be saved, but it can not be ascertained for three days.

**FORMER BREWER DIES AT BANGOR**

John Hussa, one of the oldest and best known residents of Bangor, died

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Mr. Hussa, who was 87 years old, was an old settler at Bangor and has lived there practically all his life. He is a brother of Joseph Hussa and was, for a number of years, one of the partners in the Hussa Brewing company at Bangor. He retired from active work in connection with the plant when old age made it imperative.

The funeral will be held at Bangor tomorrow afternoon and burial will take place in the cemetery there.

**ANNUAL COFFEE GRAND SUCCESS**

The fourteenth annual coffee for the gentlemen of the First Congregational church was held last evening and proved a big success. Besides excellent speaking in which J. Percival Huget of Galesburg was the chief attraction of the evening, an excellent musical program was rendered by Miss Estelle Solon. Kreutz's orchestra furnished music for the evening while the young ladies of the church served the supper.


Congressman Esch acted as toastmaster and spoke briefly of the lack of chivalry on the part of the men in not assuming some of the burdens of church work. He said that only a small per cent of men take any part in the work of the church.

The talk of Rev. Huget was a most interesting one and held the attention of his listeners until the final word was spoken. Rev. Faville and C. H. Schweizer were also among the speakers of the evening.

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Crowning Number.

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Delivers Address.

The address by Mgr. A. Ph. Kremer, V. G., previous to the conferring of the medals was by no means the least interesting number of the program. Mgr. Kremer is no stranger to our citizens, and his able address was a splendid effort. Launching forth into his subject the very reverend gentleman became more and more eloquent, holding his audience rapt in closest attention for about twenty minutes, handling his subject with as much dexterity as the young ladies did the piano.

Music a Blessing.

That Mgr. Kremer is an able linguist was fully demonstrated by his able manner of treating his subject. After briefly congratulating both teachers and pupils on the eminent success of the entire program, he proceeded to speak of music in all its phases, but especially, music in the home, as a medium of making the home what it should be—a blessing and a source of happiness. He compared life to a musical composition, the key-note of which is B natural (be natural). Mgr. Kremer is a musician not only in heart but in theory and practice, as was evinced by the admirable taste and wonderful depth of conception with which he portrayed the various phases of human life compared to a musical composition, interweaving the picture with terms technical that revealed him not only in the light of a lover of the art beautiful, but as one thoroughly acquainted with all its finer points, which knowledge of course can only be acquired by a deep study of the same.

Confers Medals.


In conclusion, Mgr. Kremer conferred the medals, beautiful solid gold lyres exquisitely engraved, and with this climax the evening's brilliant entertainment concluded. Throughout the affair was a decided success, and the faculty of the conservatory is to be congratulated on the eminent and pleasing manner in which the entire program was carried out.

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DIARY DISCUSSES FORGERIES OF BANK WRECKER

### VICTIMS' NAMES ARE SECRET

Receiver Declines to Make Public Identity of Losers in Big Steal

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—The names of the victims of Forger Van Vlisssengen will not be known, according to a statement of President Niblack of the Title and Trust company, receiver in bankruptcy for Van Vlisssengen. He will not publish the list contained in a secret card index of the forgeries unless forced to do so.

One of the strange things discovered in Van Vlisssengen's effects was a book commenting on the case of Paul O. Stensland, now in prison for bank wrecking. It says: "It is not to be supposed that Stensland deliberately resolved to rob the poor people trusting him. Such is not the history of the defaulter. His downfall begins with a trivial irregularity. Again he yields to temptation, and finding he has done nobody harm, that is, except himself, he goes on and is finally forced to choose between forgery or the wreck of his hopes. Then the time comes when hope of restitution is gone and he faces conviction as a common felon. Groping down in the bed rock of character, he chooses whether to pass the remainder of his life as a fugitive from justice, or make a clean breast of it and serve his justly earned sentence."

### GOMPERS MATTER IS NOT DISCUSSED AT TEDDY LABOR DINNER

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 18.—At Roosevelt's "labor dinner" last night Mitchell, Duncan and Keefe were not present. One of the guests today said that in the discussion of the labor question, Roosevelt, Neill, Morrissey, Dolan and Bell made brief statements and a general discussion followed. There was a boycott of the political subject, but though nothing definite was determined the general subject of labor was discussed. The president assured the guests that the new administration would seek assistance of the laboring men in pursuing a policy for their advancement. It was stated that Gompers was not mentioned in the discussion last night. There was no reference to the organization and no criticism of the federation or any member of it.

### RUEF TRIAL IS TO BE PUSHED HARD

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importance for the state is Alexander Latham, a former chauffeur of Ruef in the old graft days, who was captured at Portland last night by Detective Burns. He is expected to testify that he drove Ruef to the office of the United Railroads and got a shirt box full of bribe money. Judge Lauer admonished the jury to pay no attention to the shooting of Heney, saying it was outside the case and should be disregarded.

### NO PLOT TO SLAY KAISER WILHELM

DARMSTADT, Nov. 18.—After a partial investigation of the report of the attempt made to blow up the train on which the emperor rode from Eschigen to Berlin yesterday, the local authorities declared today that there is absolutely no evidence of a plot against the emperor. Dynamite was found close to the track Sunday and Monday but the authorities say it was unintentionally dropped by a workman from a nearby quarry. It was not close enough to the track to have done any damage to the royal train had it exploded.

### TWO SHOT, ONE DEAD IN A RUNNING FIGHT

LA PORTE, Nov. 18.—D. I. Dryberger, a Lake Shore brakeman, was shot and fatally wounded and H. G. Golay, a detective, was seriously injured in a running fight today with nine tramps who had been rounded up in the railroad yards near South Bend. Dryberger, hearing Golay's cries for help, came to his assistance and was fired upon, the bullet entering the abdomen. The tramps disarmed Golay after wounding him.

### BIG OIL FIGHT

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 18.—A battle royal for the control of Mexico's oil industry is expected to follow the statement on good authority that the Mexican Petroleum company, composed of California capitalists, has merged its big refinery at Ebanco, an extensive oil holding, with the Waters-Pierce company, for the purpose of ousting the firm of S. Pearson & Son, an English concern recently entering the field.

### MONOCAL OPTIMISTIC

HAVANA, Nov. 18.—While promising all the support possible to the administration of President Gomez, recently elected as the liberal candidate, General Monocal, the defeated candidate, announced today that today he will fight for his policies has just begun. Monocal will inaugurate a campaign of education he says and four years from now the conservatives will be strong enough to win.

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until spring. Will wire you in case I close the contract. (Signed) "HAWLEY."

Mahoney Claims Hawley. The signing of Hawley will doubtless raise the question of his ownership by the La Crosse association. Vice President Paul Mahoney recently in a public interview laid claim to Hawley, and said the La Crosse club would hold him in an attempt to make a sale. Other directors do not agree with this statement, saying Hawley is not under contract and cannot be prevented from doing as he pleases. The matter may become the subject of a controversy.

### A Precedent Cited.

Mr. Mahoney's contention that Hawley is the property of La Crosse is said to be based on the Buser case, which is regarded by him as analogous. Buser was with Oshkosh, and like Hawley, had no contract. He sought to leave, and when this was objected to, asserted that he could not be held because he had no contract and could not hold the Oshkosh association, and that if they were not bound to him, he could not be bound to them. The case went to the commission, which held that as Manager Buser should have protected himself with a contract, that his failure to do so was his own fault, and that he was the property of the Oshkosh club, notwithstanding he had no contract and could exact nothing of the club.

If this holding is authentically reported, it is possible that Hawley will have to secure his release before going to Oshkosh.

### Had Many Offers.

Hawley has had a number of offers since he announced his intention of parting company with the La Crosse club. Among them is an offer from a club in the Eastern League, one from the American association and one from Rockford, Ill. In each case the offer provided a considerable advance in salary.

### Probably Will Go.

While Mr. Hawley has not definitely closed with Oshkosh, it is probable he will do so. His presence there, not anticipated when he left here for Milwaukee with Mrs. Hawley a week ago, indicates that matters have come so close to a finish that he felt the trip there was justified. It is also a fact that his telegram indicates that he expects to close the deal.

### Meeting Today.

The question of his ownership by the La Crosse club may come up at the directors' meeting of the local club at four o'clock this afternoon, when the question of electing a successor to President Elliott will be disposed of.

### No Plans Made.

So far as could be learned, there is no "frame-up" for the meeting this afternoon. A director is to be named to succeed John C. Burns, and a president to succeed John Elliott, but directors declared late today that the whole matter is in the air.

### CASE STILL DELAYED

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 18.—Inability to get 24 talesmen together, with which to begin the examination of jurors, delayed the third trial of the ringleader, Abe Raymen, twenty-four hours.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 18.—E. F. Woodward, hop grower of Santa Rosa, Cal., banker and surveyor of customs in Firsco, appeared before the chairman of the California tariff commission appointed by the government in today's hearing before the ways and means committee. Replying to a question, he declared that he did not recommend a reduction on any article, but asked for the present tariff, except on lemons and hops, which he desired increased.

Congressman Clarke said, "The more God Almighty does for your state, the more you want." Woodward replied, "God has done much, but the men of California have also done considerable with the aid of a beneficent tariff, and they do not want that help taken from them." Congressman Fordney drew out the fact that prunes are cheaper now under protection. Fordney and Woodward agreed that other fruits under continuous protection would become cheaper. Woodward mentioned the discovery that apples costing \$1.00 a barrel in Oregon, cost 25 cents each at the hotel here. A. F. Call, of Corona, Cal., made a special plea for a higher tariff on lemons.

### JOHN D. QUAVERS IN N. Y. OIL INQUIRY

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Rockefeller replied in a trembling, faltering voice in the inquiry before Commissioner Ferris at 2 this afternoon. The room was crowded and 100 reporters and 50 photographers greeted Rockefeller. Replying to a query as to the date of his first connection with Standard Oil the witness replied, "Not later than 1862, and not earlier than 1860." When it was suggested by an attorney "that he was a young man then," Rockefeller replied, "Somewhat younger than I am now," almost timorously. Replying to counsel Rockefeller said: "In 1867 all the warehouse refinery sales business of Rockefeller and Andrews was entirely absorbed by Rockefeller and Flagler." Attorney Milburn asked, "Was Flagler a new acquisition of the company?" The answer was, "Flagler was a man of large business capacity and a valuable addition."

The witness explained he had not changed his affairs until January, 1870, when a number of distinguished capitalists added to the formation of the Standard Oil company of Ohio with a capital of \$1,000,000. He said: "The Standard Oil company of Ohio took over the property and business of Rockefeller & Company, Rockefeller, Andrews & Company and Rockefeller, Andrews & Flagler, in fact, all the property and business in which I was interested. Up to this time business had been one steady growth and increase and of course, we devoted ourselves to the study of everything that would promote growth along commercial and financial lines. We had no other business."

### Early Operations Limited.

Rockefeller said: "Up to this last merger of the Standard company, interest was confined to operation in Shenango county, Pa., maintaining refineries in Cleveland, Philadelphia, Baltimore, New York, Apkersburg, West Virginia, and Oil City, Pa. Operations were very prosperous indeed. In fact, it was known to be so prosperous that many others stepped out to compete with us in the erection and operation in all sorts of conditions of refineries, according to the capital the competitors could control."

The witness was led at great length through an explanation of the physical development of the refineries. He said:

"Andrews was the practical head of this department. He thoroughly understood the refining and manufacture of good oil."

### APPEAL TO GET AN ELKINS LAW RULING

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—It was intimated today that the government will present as the chief reason in presenting the writ of certiorari in the \$29,000,000 oil case the necessity of the exact interpretation of that section of the Elkins act relating to publishing and filing of rates. The higher supreme court seldom interferes with the lower courts except where questions of the interpretation of laws is involved. In the case of rate filings, it will be argued by the government attorneys that courts in nine judicial circuits have ruled conflictingly, so that railroads may really do things in one district which would be illegal in another.

### FEDERATION REPORTS

DENVER, Nov. 18.—The American Federation of Labor today completed consideration of the report of the resolution committee and hearing the reports of a number of minor committees. It is expected the federation will adjourn Saturday morning.

### DAVIS' TRIAL NOV. 23

OMAHA, Nov. 18.—The trial of Chas. E. Davis on the charge of murdering Dr. Frederick Rustin last September begins in district court here Nov. 23.

## OPENING DAY OF THE FLOWER SHOW

INTERIOR OF THE MASONIC TEMPLE THING OF BEAUTY

### CONCERT AT FIVE O'CLOCK

Leigh Toland Will Render Violin Solo and Prof. Cawley Will Play—Society Women Have Charge

At 2 o'clock this afternoon the great flower show being held at the Masonic temple on Main street by the women of the Christ church guild, was opened to the public and from the time the doors were swung open until a late hour this afternoon crowds thronged the hall viewing the various exhibits.

The ladies of the guild announced this afternoon that if this show proved a success it would be made an annual event and from the crowd to be seen in the hall this afternoon there can be little doubt as to its success.

At 5 o'clock this afternoon there will be a short concert at which Mr. Leigh Toland will render several violin solos and Prof. Cawley, organist at the Christ Episcopal church, will play several piano selections. The concert planned for this evening will be completed early in order to allow those attending the mass meeting to be held at the theater tonight at which time John Nolan, landscape architect will deliver an address on what prospects La Crosse has for establishing a system of city parks. Several numbers will be rendered at the concert this evening by a male chorus of 16 or 20 voices and they will be accompanied by Prof. Cawley.

From 5:30 to 8 o'clock sharp supper will be served and aprons, candy and mince meat for Thanksgiving will be on sale. Mrs. Koller and Mrs. Soderberg, president of the guild, have charge of all the arrangements and the various committees are headed by Mrs. Easton, Miss Frances Sill and Miss Gertrude Hogan. The general cashier is Miss Claudia Nelson and she is being assisted by Mrs. Harry Kincaid and Mrs. Wheeler. The candy display is in charge of Mrs. Hart. Mrs. Wager has charge of the apron booth while Mrs. H. H. Harrison presides at the mince meat stall. Soliciting is in charge of Mrs. Thurber and the dining hall is being presided over by Mrs. Joyce Hogan. Mrs. Soderburg has charge of the advertising and Mrs. Noble the kitchen.

### BESSIE CLIFFORD REPEATS HER HIT

If Teddy Roosevelt is still looking for an "endurance test" that will decide beyond dispute the vigor of Uncle Sam's warriors, it may be suggested that he let Bessie Clifford set the pace. How this wonderful little woman can stand, night after night the strain of a dozen encores in the performance of her remarkable dance in "The Yama Yama Girls," is a secret that must find its only answer in that female endurance that physicians describe as past all understanding. When the audience finally permitted her to retire at the conclusion of this feature in "The Three Twins" last night, it was from a reluctant realization that courtesy suggested that they desist, for they would have enjoyed the act during a quite indefinite period.

Miss Clifford's reception was enough to satisfy the vanity of a ravenous appetite for appreciation. Her grace and art was of the airy sort seldom accompanied with great physical strength, and the latter feature in her performance lent to its art a certainty of motion rendering her efforts thoroughly fascinating. In this kind of dancing she is in a class by herself.

### GET LETTERS FROM REP. VICE PRES.

One of the incidents of the recent campaign, or rather of its ending, of interest to La Crosse people, was the message of congratulations sent to James S. Sherman, vice president-elect, in the form of a round-robin by John M. Holley, his three sons, C. S. Van Auken and another La Crosse alumnus of Hamilton college. Each of the six signers was very much surprised last week to receive from the vice president-elect a personal letter of acknowledgment in which he referred feelingly to old college days.

The announcement of Mr. Sherman's reply appeared in the Milwaukee Free Press. When seen today, Mr. Holley said the letter received by La Crosse men was the same as sent to the many others who congratulated the vice president upon his election.

### GERMAN TROUBLE IS NOT OVERCOME

BERLIN, Nov. 18.—A nationwide reaction from yesterday's feeling of exultation over the Kaiser's acquiescence to the note of warning sounded by Von Buelow in their conference was clearly evident today. Twenty-four hours of pondering over the concessions made by the emperor brought the people to a realization that the great things they have been demanding—the inauguration of greater constitution freedom—were not touched in the conference, and they are no nearer the pledge regarding this than they were before. The conservatives are the only party today that is satisfied with the result of the Kaiser's concessions. They number 81 out of 247 in the reichstag, so this is no indication of national feeling.

## That bath-room of yours cannot be kept clean with mere soap and water

Soap will not do the work properly because soap only cleans the surface—it does not dig deep after germs and hidden impurities like GOLD DUST—the greatest of all sanitary cleansers.

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D. CLEM DEEVER, General Agent, LANDSEEKERS' INFORMATION BUREAU, 33 Q Building, Omaha, Neb.

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WANTED—500 men to learn barber trade and take positions waiting for graduates. Few weeks complete, practical practice furnished, scholarship includes tools, instructions and diploma. Write for catalogue, Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ills.  
WANTED—For U. S. Army. Able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, Hotel La Crosse, Wis.  
WANTED—Young men to prepare for coming exam. for railway mail and other Govt. positions. Superior instruction by mail. Establish 14 years. Thousands of successful students. Sample questions and "How Govt. Positions are Secured" sent free. Intermediate Schools, 491 Iowa Ave., Cedar Rapids, Iowa.  
WANTED—A boy who wants to work and learn. S. F. Tribune.  
WANTED—50 boarders wanted, 21 meals for \$3.00. Special rates given to students at Merchants Restaurant, 225 Main St.  
MEN—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach barber trade in a few weeks, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.  
WANTED—Experienced and competent tea and coffee wagon salesmen and house to house canvassers for territory or will take good honest grocery clerks with clean records, married men only, and teach them the business. Positions worth \$15.00 to \$25.00 weekly, to capable men. Salary and commission. None but first class men and with salesmanship ability need apply. Apply to C. H. Gayman, 1408 Vine St. New phone, 577-A, or write direct to headquarters, Jewel Tea Company, 18 N. May St., Chicago, Ill.  
WANTED—Dairy farm hand, old phone, 29.  
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WANTED—Canvassing agents, a pleasant and profitable occupation. Fabric Imp. Co., 1605 Farnam St., La Crosse.  
WANTED—Railway mail clerks. Commencement salary \$800.00. Many examinations soon. Preparation free. Write immediately. Franklin Institute, Rochester, N. Y.  
WANTED—Agents. Big money made selling our household specialties. Our goods are up to date, and need sellers. Write today for information. The Connor Supply Co., Washington, D. C.  
WANTED—Delivery boy at Knutson's meat market, 5th and Market streets.  
**Help Wanted—Female**  
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WANTED—Dining room girl. Northwestern Hotel.  
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WANTED—A young girl to assist with housework. Preferred to have her room at home. Inquire 205 So. 7th St.  
**For Sale**  
FOR SALE—Set of engineering books. Complete with all the Benson School Models, very cheap if taken at once. Apply at Tribune Office.  
FOR SALE—Good second hand lumber of all kinds. Enquire at old Taylor & Austin mill site or call up A. J. Roberts. 2211 old phone.  
FOR SALE—Old timber and one cream wood saw, 8 b. p. boiler, 6 h. p. engine. 400 Mill St., North La Crosse.  
FOR SALE—A set of 12 volumes of Encyclopedia of Law. A bargain. Address, B. F. care of Tribune.  
FOR SALE—Fine stylish driving horse, 6 year old. Call 96, new phone, or 6101-Black, old phone.  
FOR SALE—House and lot, 1611 Adams St.  
FOR SALE—Robertson steam bath tub, steam cooker, both new; line of first class furniture. 429 Main St., up stairs. Mrs. N. O. Crocker.  
FOR SALE—Large size hard coal burner, bought last winter. Will sell reasonable; no use for it. Inquire 1409 State St.  
FOR SALE—\$89.00 piano purchasing coupon. Good for face value on any of Story & Clark's piano. Can have it for \$5. W. M. Kommerstad, Coon Valley, Wis.  
The ladies of the First Methodist church will conduct a rummage sale at 119 North 3rd St., on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 20th and 21st.  
FOR SALE—One fair size second-hand office safe. S. J. de Ranitz & Co., 205 Main St.  
FOR SALE—Combination needle package, bonanza for agents; five sample papers for 10c; catalogue free. West End Supply Co., Ave. C and Third St., Crowley, La.  
FOR SALE—Why live in the cold north and freeze to death when you can come to Cedar County, Mo., and buy a good farm for \$35.00 per acre, and live for half the cost in the north. Send for list of farms free. L. G. Buford, El Dorado Springs, Mo.

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Good farm, 80 acres, good buildings, good soil, lots of wood, 8 miles from La Crosse, \$3,600.00.  
Seven room house, barn, chicken coop, 3 lots and 10 acres land with strawberries, raspberries, blackberries, etc. Inside city limits.  
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Invest TODAY in OREGON investments where profits are being made by the thousands and hundreds of thousands of dollars in REAL ESTATE. This corporation deals in all classes of real estate. We are now offering a GUARANTEED dividend investment which you can pay for monthly, deriving profits and income while paying for same.  
WRITE TODAY for particulars. A few dollars invested today means \$10 to \$20 in return.  
Best of bank references.  
**PACIFIC NORTHWEST REALTY ASSOCIATES.**  
204-5-6 Wells Fargo Bldg., Portland, Ore.  
**NOTICE.**  
Notice is hereby given that all debts contracted by Mr. E. H. Derr, in the name of the People's Ice and Fuel Company, will be paid by Mr. Derr personally, and all accounts and coupon books outstanding and unpaid, and all accounts for ice sold by the People's Ice and Fuel Company between March 15th, 1908, and November 15th, 1908, are payable to Mr. Derr.  
**PEOPLE'S ICE & FUEL COMPANY.**  
**NOTICE.**  
Notice is hereby given that I have disposed of my stock and interest in the People's Ice and Fuel Company, and that I shall no longer be connected with that company. I have assumed the obligation of paying all debts contracted by me in the name of said People's Ice and Fuel Company, and all accounts and coupon books outstanding and unpaid for, and all accounts for ice sold by the People's Ice and Fuel Company between March 15th, 1908, and November 15th, 1908, are payable to me personally.  
Accounts can be paid and settlements made at my office, 524 Cass street, La Crosse, Wisconsin.  
E. H. DERR.  
**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**  
State of Wisconsin. In Probate. La Crosse County Court.  
In the matter of the estate of Peter Schlach, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County, deceased. Letters testamentary in said matter having been granted to Susannah Schlach of the City and County of La Crosse, notice is hereby given that six months after the 27th day of October, A. D. 1908, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the fourth day of May, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Court Room of said County in the Court House in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.  
By the Court, JOHN BRINDLEY, County Judge.  
Dated this 27th day of October, 1908.  
JOHN A. DANIELS, Attorney for Executrix.  
**DUKE SAYS BLOCK IS OLD MAN ELKINS**  
ROME, Nov. 18.—Following the action of the Duke of Abruzzi in calling Miss Elkins, releasing her from the engagement, one of the duke's closest friends repeated today a conversation he recently had with the duke concerning Miss Elkins. The duke intimated that Senator Elkins was the chief stumbling block in the love affair. The duke said: "I would have been the happiest of husbands if I could have arrived at an agreement with the head of the Elkins family on certain formalities in the marriage ceremonial and other points. Elkins is extraordinarily fierce and proud. It would be very unlucky if I knew not that generally the American will keep his word at any price, because only Katherine can compensate me for the sorrow I have suffered, my relatives' opposition and the rude, insolent and contemptible vulgarity of some American newspapers."  
When a man comes in to see you, and sits down and tells his hat back on his head and begins, "Now, tell you," he means to remain at least an hour and have a good, long talk; a talk he has been thinking of having with you for some time.

MINNESOTA AND THE NORTHWEST

**THREE HUNTERS PERISH IN STORM**  
**HAVE BEEN MISSING FOR A MONTH**  
**MAN GETS A BIG MOOSE**  
Antlers of Animal Spread for Fifty-five Inches—Killed in Northern Minnesota  
LEWISTON, Mont., Nov. 18.—Three men who left Gilt Edge about five weeks ago on a hunting expedition into the bad lands of the Missouri breaks, are believed to have perished in the big snow storm of a month ago. The party included an experienced trapper and two young men, Dahl and Fisher.  
They left Gilt Edge two days before the storm, and not returning as expected, a searching party has been organized to look for them. Much alarm is felt over their prolonged absence and fears are entertained that all have perished.  
Gets Big Moose.  
BEMIDJI, Minn., Nov. 18.—One of the most successful hunting parties which has been in the north woods this year was headed by T. J. Miller, of this city, who, with State Senator S. D. Works, of Mankato, and S. B. Bailey, of St. Paul, hunted from the head waters of the Little Tamarack river, seventeen miles northeast of Kelliher. They had as a brother hunter Rev. Denison, also of this city.  
The party was out one week, and while they were not successful in getting any deer, they brought home with them one of the finest moose ever killed in these northern woods. The moose was shot by T. J. Miller.  
The animal weighed about 950 pounds before being dressed, and the head possessed a magnificent set of antlers, which were 54 1/2 inches spread on each side. The head of this monster moose will be mounted and Senator Works will present it to the free public library at Mankato, where it will always be on exhibition. The hide will be tanned for a table scarf for Mr. Miller.  
**STOPS THE TRAIN AND KILLS DEER**  
DULUTH, Minn., Nov. 18.—Judge J. B. Middlecott has returned with a 200-pound buck.  
After having been in the woods twice this year in a vain search for big game, the judge went out Saturday morning for a third attempt along the line of the Alger & Smith road.  
He saw a deer standing on the edge of the woods and asked the brakeman to stop the train, which the latter did.  
The judge alighted and had the deer hanging up a tree in ten minutes time.  
**VAGRANT PROVES TO BE MAGICIAN**  
MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Nov. 18.—William Phillips, a vagrant, hypnotized the jail broom at central police station, made it stand up straight and slanting and finally called it toward him to the profound amazement of the officials at the headquarters who had been called upstairs by the jailer to view the remarkable circumstance.  
"He rubbed his hands around the broom," said the night jailer, "and then stood off and folded his arms. The broom stood perfectly still at an angle of about forty-five degrees. Then he motioned with his finger and the broom moved toward him. It was the regular jail broom and no stage play. I guess that's good."  
Phillips was taken in Sunday night with a slight load on. But the men about the station admit they were the ones that were "seen" things, if anybody was.  
One of the men swears that he saw Phillips stick a pencil on a perfectly bare wall and then hang his coat on it.  
**HIS MISTAKE MAY BE COSTLY**  
DULUTH, Minn., Nov. 18.—For the first time in the history of St. Louis county a man is to be prosecuted for mistaking another man for game and shooting him.  
Edward Tonkin, who shot and killed Roger Olds of Cloquet, was exonerated by the coroner's jury, but information was afterward filed against him by the assistant county attorney and he was arraigned and bound over. Tonkin furnished the \$1,500 bail. An effort will be made to convict him of manslaughter in the second degree.  
Tonkin mistook Olds for a deer.  
**FINDS WARDEN'S BODY NEAR BOAT**  
WHITEHALL, Mich., Nov. 18.—All doubt as to the fate of Deputy State Game Warden Julius Salmonson, his brother, Martin Salmonson, and Deputy Sheriff J. C. Hazeldine, who went out on White Lake Saturday night in search of illegally set nets, was settled by the finding of their bodies in the lake near where their overturned boat was found. It is now considered certain that the men were drowned by the capsizing of their boat, and were not victims of fishermen, as was at first suggested.

DAILY MARKETS

**Foreign Markets**  
NEW YORK STOCKS.  
NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—With the exception of Northern Pacific stocks were generally heavy after the first five minutes. At the end of the hour most of the leading railroad issues showed a loss of about one point. The Gould stocks receded easily, the market generally acting with a greater degree of uniformity than usual. Copper shares lost most of their early gains on profit taking. Government bonds unchanged, other bonds active and strong.  
St. Paul joined the high record for the year last shortly after noon when it was suddenly rushed to 160, but this movement was about the only display of strength in the market. Other stocks were sold freely and the heavy tone that prevailed early in the day developed into a general weakness around 2 p. m.  
Market closed weak.  
**Kansas City Livestock.**  
KANSAS CITY, Nov. 18.—Cattle, 13,000; ten lower. Steers, \$4.75 to \$4.75; stockers, \$3.00 to \$4.75. Hogs—16,000; ten higher. Bulk, \$5.40 to \$5.70; pigs, \$3.75 to \$5.25. Sheep—6,000; steady. Muttons, \$4.00 to \$4.65; lambs, \$4.50 to \$6.10.  
**Poultry, Dairy, Etc.**  
NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Dressed poultry, moderate demand. Live poultry, fair demand.  
Butter, creamery extra, 29 to 29 1/2 c.  
Eggs, nearby white, fancy, 48 to 50 c.  
**Chicago Livestock.**  
CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—Cattle, 23,000; steady to 10c lower; heaves \$5.30 to \$7.60; stockers, \$2.50 to \$4.60.  
Hogs, 38,000; 10c higher; light, \$5.05 to \$5.75; heavy, \$5.30 to \$5.40; pigs, \$3.75 to \$5.  
Sheep, 22,000; weak to 10c lower; natives, \$2.40 to \$4.70; lambs, \$3.75 to \$6.  
**Chicago Grain.**  
WHEAT.  
Open. High. Low. Close  
Dec. ... 103 1/4 104 1/4 103 1/4 103 1/4  
CORN.  
Dec. ... 62 1/2 63 1/2 62 1/2 63 1/2  
OATS.  
Dec. ... 49 1/2 49 1/2 49 1/2 49 1/2  
**BONI KNOWS ANNA WANTS A DIVORCE**  
(Continued from page 1.)  
interest but the interest of the children is paramount. The two boys are ill and unable to go to school, while the oldest is so broken down nervously that he drops asleep at the dinner table. The unfortunate moral atmosphere of their mother's home is responsible, and if the case is temporarily adjourned, it is imperative that the children be entrusted temporarily to their grandmother.  
"I will not enter into the details of my argument now, but can state positively that the princess last week contemplated divorce proceedings. I have a letter from the doctor in attendance on the children in which he says he had been forbidden to acquaint their father with their true condition."  
Evidence in support of these statements is eagerly awaited. The statements caused a stir in the court room.  
**G. O. P. MAY HONOR HON. JOHN DENGLE**  
(Continued from page 1.)  
der's generosity, the friends of Mr. Dengler regard the possibility of the La Crosse man carrying the good news to Washington as fairly rosy.  
Mr. Dengler today said he was not an active candidate. "Of course I need not say I would appreciate the honor deeply," he said, "but it would hardly become me to make an aggressive campaign for it in competition with Col. Brumberg, who is my senior in the political field and a most deserving and loyal republican."  
**CATHOLICS TAKE UP THE SUBJECT TODAY**  
(Continued from page 1.)  
Chicago will close the congress tonight.  
**Attacks Socialism Again**  
The address of Granger was a scathing attack on socialism, terming it the "Greatest peril of the age" and urging the Catholic church to "enter the labor unions and disabuse workmen of the false ideas spread by the agitators." Resolutions will recommend the establishment in industrial centers of missions with a priest who is a master of foreign tongues, and co-operation of the Catholic societies and the church extension society for the propagation of work among the negroes and Indians of the south and northwest.  
**ATTEMPTS SUICIDE.**  
JANESVILLE, Minn., Nov. 18.—Ben Garlick, a young man of Mankato, made an effort here to commit suicide by drinking five ounces of sulphate of ether. He was found in time and a local physician saved his life. He has tried twice before to take his life with chloroform.  
**Fish**  
(Quoted by H. M. Sieger.)  
Pickers, each ... 12 1/2 @ 15c  
Cucumbers, each ... 12 1/2 @ 15c  
Pike, pound ... 15c  
White ... 15c  
Trout, pound ... 15c  
Salmon ... 15c  
Herring ... 4 @ 5c  
Halibut ... 15c  
**Local Markets**  
**PRICES REMAIN PRACTICALLY THE SAME**  
**CORN DECLINES IN PRICE**  
Quoted at 55 Cents Today—Creamery Butter is quoted at 31c Wholesale.  
But few changes were noted on the local markets today, prices remaining practically the same as yesterday. Corn has dropped to 55c, and creamery butter is quoted at 31c, wholesale.  
**WHOLESALE.**  
Fruits.  
(Quoted by J. C. Burns.)  
N. Y. apples, bbl. .... \$3.00 @ \$3.75  
New York Greenings, bbl. .... \$3.50  
Cranberries, bbl. .... \$8.00 @ \$9.00  
Chestnuts, per lb. .... 10c  
Lemons, 360 size .... \$4.50  
Cabbages, doz. .... 60c  
New potatoes, bushel .... 70c  
New carrots, crate .... \$1.50  
Tokay grapes, crate .... \$2.75  
Winter Nellis pears, box .... \$3.25  
Florida oranges, 200, 216 box, \$3.25  
California navel, .... \$3.50  
Bananas, medium .... \$1.00 @ 2.00  
Celery, Michigan, 10 doz case \$1.50  
Sweet potatoes, bbl. .... \$3.75  
Hickory nuts, bu. .... \$2.00  
**Flour and Feed.**  
(Quoted by the Listman Milling Co.)  
Patent, per barrel .... \$5.40  
Straight, per barrel .... \$5.20  
**Milk Feed.**  
Bran, per ton .... \$21.00  
Shorts, per ton .... \$22.00  
White middlings, per ton .... \$24.00  
Red Dog, per ton .... \$26.00  
(Prices do not include sacks.)  
**Cheese.**  
(Quoted by Ice Cream & Butter Co.)  
Full Cream Twins .... 14 @ 15c  
Full Cream Daisies .... 14 @ 15c  
Full Cream Young Americas .... 15c  
Full Cream Long Horns .... 15c  
Full Cream, 10 lb. print .... 15c  
Full Cream Brick .... 14 @ 15c  
Full Cream Limberger .... 15c  
Full Cream round Swiss .... 15c  
Full Cream Block Swiss (5 and 6 to a box, weighing 25-35 lbs. each) .... 14c  
Creamery butter .... 31c  
**Grain.**  
(Quoted by Thomas & Phalon.)  
Winter wheat .... 85 @ 90c  
Spring wheat .... 85 @ 90c  
Rye .... 60 @ 55c  
Barley .... 55 @ 57c  
Oats .... 43 @ 45c  
Corn, new .... 50c  
**Livestock.**  
(By Langdon-Buyd Packing Co.)  
Hogs .... \$4.00 @ \$5.00  
Steers .... \$2.00 @ \$2.75  
Heifers .... \$2.00 @ \$2.75  
Cows .... \$1.50 @ \$2.50  
Lambs .... \$3.00 @ \$4.00  
Sheep .... \$2.00 @ \$3.00  
**Poultry.**  
Old chickens .... 6c  
Spring chickens, lb. .... 9c  
Turkeys, pound .... 10 @ 12c  
Ducks .... 8c  
Geese .... 7c  
**Provisions.**  
Lard, per lb. .... 12 1/2 @ 13c  
Hams .... 12 1/2 c  
Shoulders .... 9c  
Bacon .... 14 @ 15c  
Dry Beef .... 20 @ 22c  
**Butter and Eggs.**  
(Quoted by Hawley Corn Co.)  
Creamery, per pound .... 30 1/2 @ 31c  
Dairy, per pound .... 23 @ 30c  
Eggs, fresh, dozen .... 31c  
Eggs, storage .... 27c  
Eggs, seconds .... 24c  
**Hay and Wood.**  
(Quoted by City Scales.)  
Hay, wild, per ton .... \$6.00 @ \$7.00  
Hay, tame, per ton .... \$8 @ \$9  
Straw, ton .... \$5.00  
Bottom wood, cord .... \$6.00  
Second growth oak .... \$6.25  
Pine wood, cord .... \$6.00  
Dry wood cord .... \$6.00  
Old oak .... \$5.00 @ \$6.50  
**RETAIL.**  
Fruits.  
(Quoted by J. C. Burns.)  
Bananas, per dozen .... 20c  
Oranges, navel, dozen .... 30 @ 40c  
Lemons, per dozen .... 20 @ 30  
Apples, peck .... 20 @ 40c  
Cocoanuts, each .... 5 @ 10c  
Cabbage, per head .... 5 @ 10c  
Plums, basket .... 30c  
Pears, dozen .... 20 @ 30c  
Tokay grapes, lb. .... 15c  
Tomatoes, bu. .... 10c  
Muskrat grapes, lb. .... 10c  
Tokay grapes, basket .... 50c  
New York Greenings, bbl. .... \$3.75  
Hickory nuts, qt. .... 5c  
**Flour.**  
(Quoted by Listman Milling Co.)  
Patent, per 1-4 bbl. sack .... \$1.60  
Straight, per 1-4 bbl. sack .... \$1.55  
**Vegetables.**  
(Quoted by A. B. Moll.)  
Hubbard squash .... 10 @ 75c  
Pickling onions, qt. .... 10c  
Eggs, strictly fresh .... 33c  
Creamery butter, per lb. .... 33c  
Dairy, lb. .... 30c  
Parsley, per bunch .... 5c  
New cabbage, each .... 5c  
Potatoes, per bushel .... 75c  
Carrots, per peck .... 10c  
Wax beans, lb. .... 15c  
Green beans, lb. .... 15c  
Beets, per peck .... 15c  
Lettuce, 2 bunches for .... 5c  
Green peppers, dozen .... 20c  
Turnips, peck .... 15c  
Fresh mushrooms .... 25c  
Fine apples, each .... 25c  
Egg plant, each .... 5 @ 10c  
Catawba grapes, lb. .... 25c  
Cucumbers, each .... 12 1/2 @ 15c  
Tokay grapes, lb. .... 12 1/2 c  
Oyster plant, bunch .... 5c  
Cauliflowers .... 15 @ 25c  
Malaga grapes, lb. .... 20c



## A Bit of History.

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## CORPSE UNIDENTIFIED

KENOSHA, Wis., Nov. 18.—The coroner's jury called to investigate the death of the unknown man whose body was found in a thicket on the Riley farm south of Kenosha, has returned a verdict, but it fails to throw any light on the case. It was thought that the body had been identified as that of Frank Clope of Racine, but the jury decided otherwise. The missing Racine man carried insurance to the amount of \$4,000 in several fraternal companies and it is probable that the widow will have to start suit to collect, as the companies had waited for an identification by the coroner's jury before paying.

## WISCONSIN NEWS

## FACES LONG TERM IN STATES PRISON

JOHN SMITH ASSAULTED 13-YEAR-OLD GIRL

NEW TRIAL IS ASKED

He Was Compelled to Make Damaging Admissions on Cross Examination

WAUKESHA, Wis., Nov. 18.—John Smith, who shot Sheriff George L. Dwinell, Mrs. Augusta Grabo and Olga Grabo, at the Grabo home at Calhoun on Sept. 18 last, was convicted of criminal assault on the girl after a trial lasting two days. The jury was out but ten minutes. The extreme penalty for the offence of Smith was convicted is 35 years. His attorney made a motion for a new trial, which will be argued on Thursday.

Olga, the 13-year-old girl, testified that Smith came to the home when she was there alone and threw her to the floor. Holding a revolver to her head, she said, Smith forced her to go upstairs, where he assaulted her, constantly threatening that he would kill her if she told any one. On the evening of the same day, believing that the girl had told her mother, Smith shot one of her eyes out. The shooting of the mother and sheriff followed.

Smithon the stand made a general denial. When driven into a corner by District Attorney Muckleston on cross examination he made damaging admissions.

## MADE PRESIDENT CHURCH WORKERS

IS ELECTED AT MEETING IN PORTAGE

FRUITFUL TOPIC IS SALOON

Dramshop, in Its Relation to the Home, Is Discussed by the Speakers

PORTAGE, Wis., Nov. 18.—The state convention of the federation of churches elected the following officers yesterday:

President—The Rev. George Fritzsche, Milwaukee. First vice president—The Rev. Everett A. Cutler, Milwaukee. Second vice president—D. W. Hulbert, D. D., Wauwatosa. Secretary—The Rev. Henry A. Miner, Madison. Assistant secretary—Dr. George W. Case, Portage. Treasurer—The Rev. William J. McKay, Madison.

In his address yesterday J. M. Skinner, chief temple of Wisconsin, said county option was a fair measure as the present system was unfair, which involved taxation without representation. Farmers were debarred from voting on this matter as a county issue but were heavily taxed to support drink made paupers.

The Rev. Robert Gordon of Milwaukee spoke on gambling and its moral blight. Last night U. G. Humphrey of Milwaukee, general superintendent Wisconsin Anti-Saloon league, spoke on "The Ideal Citizen," saying that ideal citizens must be Christians, but that the saloon hindered them greatly. He said we might as well regulate the devil as to attempt to regulate the saloon, which was doing more than anything else to destroy patriotism. The saloon must be destroyed, he declared, to save our homes. The Rev. W. A. Bartlett, D. D., Chicago, followed with an address on the church and good government.

Today the Rev. E. D. Kohstedt of Milwaukee will make an address on Sunday newspapers and the Rev. W. A. Peterson will follow with an address on "Shall the Church Banish Sunday Baseball Games?" The Rev. M. J. Ward, pastor of the Catholic church at Beloit, speaks tonight on closing saloons on Sundays.

THINK MORE OF HEN THAN THEIR BOYS

MADISON, Wis., Nov. 18.—The Rev. George E. Hunter, pastor of Christ Presbyterian church, created a sensation when he declared that "there are precious few real sane people in these pews. You are lucky indeed if you are not cracked, scatter brained, unbalanced or unsound, for sense, plain, common sense, is rare. Most of you men pay more attention to the care of your chickens than you do to the feeding, clothing and bringing up of your own children."

WELL KNOWN G.A.R. DIES SUDDENLY

OCONOMOWOC, Wis., Nov. 18.—Hiram F. Like died here of heart failure, aged 77 years. He had been in the furniture business here for many years and was a member of the Wisconsin consistory, Oconomowoc chapter, Loyal Legion, and a lieutenant of Company F of the Twenty-eighth Wisconsin during the civil war. He leaves a wife and four children. A sister, Mrs. E. M. Dupuy of South Milwaukee, and a brother in California also survive him.

When you present a bill to a dead-beat he is pretty sure to say that some of the payments he made were not credited.

## IS RHEUMATISM INCURABLE?

Recent hospital reports show that the dread disease, rheumatism, is steadily increasing throughout the country. All known means of relief are being suggested to save the great amount of suffering this winter, especially among those who are not in a position to pack up and visit the noted health resorts to be treated. Recent tests prove rheumatism not exactly a disease in itself, but a severe symptom of kidney trouble, a condition caused by clogged up pores of the eliminative tissues in the kidneys which fail to filter the poisonous waste matter and uric acid from the blood, permitting these substances to remain in the veins and decompose, usually settling about the joints and muscles, causing the intense pain, swelling and stiffness of rheumatism.

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WALKER WHITSIDE In "The Melting Pot," La Crosse Theatre, Friday, Nov. 20.

## FIRE AND POOL BALL CREATES A PANIC

RACINE, Wis., Nov. 18.—There was a panic at the Budar hall when fire started in an air shaft. Jack Vance, the porter, ripped off two screen doors and commenced throwing pool balls through the windows. One ball hit a man on the head and knocked him down, and a second ball struck a woman. Before the man could commit other acts the officers corralled him. E. H. Hopkinson, a shoe merchant, came down stairs in his night clothes carrying

his collar and neck tie in one hand and satchels in the other. E. Spencer, night clerk, ran into a fire hydrant and sprained his ankle. Several other guests packed up and left the house. The fire did not amount to much. A second time it broke out and there was more excitement. This time the damage reached \$200.

## SECURES DIVORCE FROM HIS SQUAW

APPLETON, Wis., Nov. 18.—The marital difficulties of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Newton, who were divorced in court here by Judge John Goddard last Saturday, are not unlike the domestic perplexities pictured in the well known drama, "The Squaw Man." Mr. Newton is a white man, while his wife, who is but 18 years of age, is a squaw, having been a member of the Menominee tribe of Indians at the time of her marriage in 1905. Despised by her tribe because she married a paleface, she finally submitted and returned to the Keshena reservation to her people. Newton made every effort to induce his child wife to return to his home, but his pleadings were for naught.

## EXPRESSMEN ARE IN A QUANDARY

RACINE, Wis., Nov. 18.—The county board passed a resolution which invalidates a city ordinance passed by the city council. Expressmen had a habit of stopping their wagons in front of the courthouse, often impeding traffic. The council passed an ordinance ordering this practice stopped and a number were arrested and fined. The board, by the close vote of 13 to 12, now gives the expressmen the right to continue their practice. Today, it is understood, the board will ask William Shenkenberg, a trustee of the county insane asylum,

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istrator of his estate has given up the investigation and his property will go to the state.

SUPERIOR.—To complete the county insane asylum the county will issue \$35,000 in bonds.

MARINETTE.—A Milwaukee freight train at Beaver Dam ran off the track, struck the home of Frank Svoboda and demolished the kitchen wing.

CALE IS RE-ARRESTED

JANESVILLE, Wis., Nov. 18.—James Cale, who is under \$1,000 bail on the charge of highway robbery here on Oct. 10, waiting a second trial, was arrested on the charge of having stolen \$2,000 worth of silverware from a Fond du Lac home last summer. His father, Thomas Cale, was at one time sheriff of Fond du Lac county and is at present territorial representative from Alaska.

ONALASKA.—After a futile search of four years for relatives of Henry Stuart, who was killed on the Burlington track near here, the admin-

## HUMANE TREATMENT OF ANIMALS.

(New York Tribune.)

It is not easy to determine to just what extent animal life is to be regarded as sacred. The moral and religious philosophies of the world have differed greatly on that point. Professor Darwin and others would have us believe that vegetable life also is endowed with perceptive senses and perhaps with the consciousness of suffering. The infliction of needless pain upon animals is obviously to be condemned. So is the useless destruction of animal life, just for the gratification of a lust for slaughter. But human life and its needs are supreme, and it may well be held proper to subordinate animal life thereto, destroying the latter whenever the welfare of the former is thus to be served.

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